



**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 2827**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	PATENT APPLICATION
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Inventors: Guterman, et al.)	
)	Art Unit: 2827
Application No.: 10/766,786)	
)	Examiner: Tran, Michael Thanh
Filed: January 27, 2004)	
)	Customer No.: 28554
Title: VARIABLE CURRENT SINKING FOR)	
COARSE/FINE PROGRAMMING OF)	
NON-VOLATILE MEMORY)	

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RESPONSE B TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

This RESPONSE is in reply to the final Office Action mailed August 12, 2005.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this Response.

REMARKS begin on Page 10 of this Response.